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[November 11, 1981]

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Nov. 11

Glad to hear from you....wondering how things are going at PSU. ..And certainly would like to see how the building is progressing across the st. from 102...by the time I return I guess Hardie*s will be going full blast. At the moment I am uncertain re the month in H. schools, after January 18 at which time my term is up at Clark. I need to come home and rest..and more than likely will do just that..leaving Pittsburg again on Febr. 18 for Dallas for six weeks.

Mail forwarded has arrived Okeh except for a letter which the writer said she had mailed before I left Pitts..but she is getting so mixed up that she is not certain if and when she mailed it...it contained, so she says, 17 bucks...sooner or later it will be cleared up....or turn up.

We old folks get pretty muddled sometimes. Please tell me the exact amount I owe you...for all books, postage. I will remit same on December first.

No v 14-17
I am having to take a short run to New York to receive a Pioneer ~~Ward~~ FROM A Theatre organization...something resembling a TONYa Afro-American organization.

I will send the news to Nikki Patric...seems she has written nothing re my departure... which puzzles me. I am hard at work in rehearsals..looks pretty good..expecting to have no less than 25 ministers in "GO WHERE I SEND THREE"..December first. ..music much better than there...native voices..all religious kids..spirituals are their bag...have to keep them from sailing out in the gospel style which can be pretty hectic..I keep them toned down.

As for the chair on back porch. I think her last name is Freeman..anyway, she advertises under the ^{Junk} JUNK title...in the Morning Sun...so easily located. I charged her only six dollars for it..and she paid for it..just the same, we want to get rid of it.. and I hope she codes for it..her troubles seemed to be not having a man help her load i on her truck. She says she owns an entire building of several floors..a dd has not yet

Much more to tell, but time has run out. I will write again on return from NY on the 18th. Publicity here is just getting underway...so much going on in the combine.. five colleges. ...this one does not rate the highest, however...somewhere near the bottom, it appears. Anyway, I appreciate their recognition of myself..they are paying \$700 a

month for my residence at Pascal's HOTEL...and for three mont s*...this in addition to my salary adds up to a sizable amount....feature PSU doing such as that...**"NO WAY"**

Fondly



Louise Bukant